



**2012 - 2013**  
**Germantown Education Commission**  
**YOUTH EXCELLENCE AWARD**  
**Nomination Form**

Mail to:  
City of Germantown  
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**Purpose:**

The purpose of this award is to recognize a high school senior who has made a significant difference in his/her own life, the lives of others, the school he/she attends and/or the Germantown community.

**Nomination Criteria:**

1. The nominee must be a Germantown resident and a high school senior.
2. The nominee may attend a public or private school outside of Germantown.
3. The nominee must demonstrate academic achievement, volunteer effort, community service or exemplary activities.
4. The nominee must have a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.25 and a satisfactory attendance record.
5. The nominee must have two letters of recommendation describing how the nominee is going the extra mile.

Is there any characteristic that differentiates this student from others? What sets this applicant apart?

**For example:**

- How does the nominee demonstrate leadership in the classroom or represent the school academically outside of the classroom?
- How does the nominee help his/her peers and younger kids before or after school?
- How does your nominee participate in campus improvement projects?
- How does your nominee raise funds for the school to purchase items such as library books, computers, band equipment, etc.?
- How does your nominee give time beyond the school day?
- How has he/she involved in community service, volunteer projects, and/or social organizations during high school?

Student's name \_\_\_\_\_ School \_\_\_\_\_

Student's address \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Student's age \_\_\_\_\_ Email address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian \_\_\_\_\_ Nominator \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of school administration or teacher verifying minimum 3.25 GPA and satisfactory attendance:

Applications are accepted August to April. Applications received by the third Thursday of each month will be considered during the commission meeting held on the fourth Thursday of each month. Applications remain in the pool of nominees until selected or until the end of the school year. For more information, contact Stacey Ewell at [sewell@germantown-tn.gov](mailto:sewell@germantown-tn.gov) or (901) 751-7559.